**Please briefly elaborate on one of your extracurricular activities or work experiences. (150 word limit.)**

On my first day in high school, I stepped onto the track at night. I hated running before, especially the PE test, but I was obsessed with the graceful and serene running track lit by fragmentary light and star, like every newcomer lured by freshness. So I ran. It was weird at first to notice a single guy sprinting at night, even to myself. So in the following week I managed to induce my roommates to join the company, and it later became a ritual in my dorm. In fact, the process of enjoying primitives with friends surpassed running itself. Gradually, I saw more and more students in my class or in my grade, or neither, gathered on track. Occasionally I would hear a encouragement from someone, and a sweet would galvanize my exhausted body. In return, I would often do the same. Now, rushing on the track at night became a tradition. It felt good to be lost in darkness, sweating, with strangers and friends by side.

**Name your favorite books, authors, films, and/or musical artists.**

Fictions: Fantasy(A Song of Ice and Fire, TLOTR),Sci-Fi(Mass Effect, other short stories),Horror(Into the White Night); Favorite Writer: George RR Martin, Fitzgerald, Victor Hugo, Jack London

Films: Leon the Pro, Gladiator, 3 Idiots, Les choristers, One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest, Up, Dead Poets Society, Intouchables, Princess Mononoke

Musics: stringed music(Jacqueline du Pre, Secret Garden), opera(Les Miserables,Phatom of the Opera), original soundtrack(from video games and movies); Artists: John Lennon, John Elton, Westlife

**What newspapers, magazines, and/or websites do you enjoy?**

CBNweekly, Reference News, China Daily, TIME, douban.com, asoiaf.westeros.org, playdota.com, gosugamers.net, kongregate.com, stackoverflow.com

**What is the most significant challenge that society faces today? (50 word limit.)**

Lack of reverence towards nature. Today it is impossible to find an unoccupied land, a piece of area without steps of human, or smell of industry. People are becoming almighty. But I believe people should hold something back to be afraid of. Vulnerability can help us see more about ourselves.

**How did you spend your last two summers? (50 word limit.)**

Went to St. Petersburg for a pilgrimage of programming;Built up an Online Judge for school; looked for intern positions by exchanging emails, interviewing and visiting at Microsoft and Alibaba; reveled in multiple graduation parties and climbed mountains with buddies; started game studio C2 with other 2 college graduates.

**What were your favorite events (e.g., performances, exhibits, sporting events, etc.) this past year? (50 word limit.)**

3rd International tournament of Dota2. Owing to the shift of time, I stayed up all night to watch every live coverage. A warm quilt, a cup of Cappuccino, some night snacks would be the perfect complements for watching. Never indulged much before, but couldn't miss such a grand revelry.

**What historical moment or event do you wish you could have witnessed? (50 word limit.)**

(haven't come up with one...)

**What five words best describe you?**

Adventurous(a quirky lust of danger)

Inquisitive(interests in many fields)

Devoted(to CS and game making)

Sentimental(prefer intuition and straightness over rationality)

Self-effacing(to get close to every kind of student)